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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

) Examiner: Olson, Lars A
) Art Unit: 3617
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) Confirmation No.: 2514
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For: METHOD FOR OPERATING A TRACK FOR A RAILBORNE VEHICLE, AND

CORRESPONDING TRACK

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is to be treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

Fee requirements (if any) have been calculated as shown below:

	Claims remaining after amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present Extra			Addition	nal Fee	
Total Effective Claims	22	minus	29	=	0	X \$ 50	=	\$	0.00	
Independent Claims	4	minus	4		0	X \$210	=	\$	0.00	
If amendment enters <u>proper</u> multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for <u>first</u> time, add \$370.00 (per application) \$ 0.00 Since Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of										
PETITION is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month \$120; 2 months \$460; 3 months \$1,050; 4 months \$1,640, 5 months \$2,230								\$	0.00	
If Terminal Disclaimer enclosed, add Rule 20(d) Official Fee (\$130.00)								\$	0.00	
Other:									0.00	
					SUBT	OTAL:		\$	0.00	
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any fees in addition to the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under Rules 16-18 (deficiency only) now or hereafter relative to this application and the resulting official document under Rule 20, or credit any overpayment, to our Account No. shown in the heading hereof. This statement does not authorize charge of the issue fee in this case.

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The present Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated September 20, 2007, in the above captioned application. Please enter the following Amendment: